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 Serial No.: 09/801,072
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 Entitled: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING A RESEARCH TASK BY INTERCHANGEABLY UTILIZING A MULTITUDE OF SEARCH METHODOLOGIES**
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Sir:

This is a Request for a Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.08

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, Mail Stop RCE, January 22, 2004.

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1. Submission required under C.F.R. § 1.114

a. Previously submitted

- i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on December 12, 2003
 (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- iii. Other _____

b. Enclosed

- i. Amendment/Reply
- ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. Other _____

2. Miscellaneous

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
 (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. Other _____

3. c. Applicant is entitled to small entity status

4. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No.: 08-1275.

- i. RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. Other _____

b. Check in the amount of \$385.00 enclosed

c. Payment by credit card (form PTO-2038 enclosed)

5. Return Receipt Postcard

Dated: January 22, 2004

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